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IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF GERSPACHER ET AL.

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

<u>Amendment</u>

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2010. Reconsideration of the present rejections and withdrawal of the present rejections are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 20 of this paper.